

Griffith's Team Finally Breaks Losing Streak—High School Games Today

NATIONALS DEFEAT CLEVELAND, 7 TO 4

Finally Chase Hoodoo and Win First Game of Their Road Trip.

THREE INDIAN PITCHERS WALLOPED IN REVIVAL

Griffith Stage One Big Round, Good for Four Runs—Johnson Often in Trouble.

Special Dispatch to The Star.

CLEVELAND, June 10.—Washington finally shook its jinx and won a ball game yesterday, the first of its road trip, after dropping seven consecutive contests. The Indians were the victims, and the score was 7 to 4.

The fracture of the losing streak was marked by vicious clouting on the part of the Nationals, three Indian pitchers feeling the effects of the onslaught by the visitors.

Walter Johnson was Manager Griffith's reliance, and he came through, but not before Fohl's henchmen had thrown several scares into him. On more than one occasion Johnson was in trouble, due to wildness, coupled with hits by the opposition, and without sterling offensive support the king of them all probably would have been humbled.

Washington broke the ice in the second inning when Rondaue led off with a single to left. Williams sacrificed him to second and Shanks' single scored him.

Cleveland Takes Lead.

Cleveland took the lead in the third. Mitchell fanned, but Graneu doubled to right and Turner drew a pass. Speaker singled to center, scoring Graneu, and when Milan fumbled the ball Turner also trotted home.

Washington's big inning was the sixth. Morgan led off with a single to right. Foster sacrificed him to second and Milan beat out a hunt to third. Rondaue made an infield hit, scoring Morgan and Milan and Rondaue moved up on a wild throw to first by Mitchell. Williams hit to Wamby, who tried to catch Milan at the plate, but failed. Shanks tripled to center, scoring Rondaue and Williams. Morton relieved Mitchell at this juncture. Johnson popped to Turner and McBride went out, short to first, ending the round with four runs over.

In the seventh inning the Griffins increased their total to seven runs. Almsmith walked and Morgan sacrificed him to second. Foster singled to center, sending Almsmith to third, and both tallied when Milan laced a triple to right. Milan was thrown out at the plate on Rondaue's rap to Wambagans and Williams fanned.

Indians Score Again.

The Indians got their third run over in the last half of this inning. Howard singled to right and was forced at second by Wambagans. O'Neill lifted to left, but Roth, batting for Morton, doubled to center, scoring Wambagans. Roth was thrown out at third, trying to stretch his hit. McBride relaying Milan's throw, ended the round with four runs over.

Things looked bad for Johnson and his supporters in the eighth. Graneu and Turner singled in succession, and after Speaker had lifted to left, left Smith dropped a single in right field, scoring Graneu. Johnson had Gandil's number, however, and the best of the former National could do was to pop up to Almsmith. Howard then forced Smith at second, ending the round.

The first two Indians up in the ninth were infield outs, and Chapman, batting for Kieffer, ended the game by fanning. Score:

CLEVELAND	AB	R	H	B	S	O	P	A	E
Graneu	4	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Turner	3	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Speaker	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Milan	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gandil	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Howard	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
O'Neill	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Morton	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kieffer	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Chapman	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Engle	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Charmant	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	34	4	2	0	0	0	0	0	0

WASHINGTON	AB	R	H	B	S	O	P	A	E
Morgan	4	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Foster	3	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Milan	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rondaue	4	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Williams	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Judge	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Shanks	4	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0
Chapman	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
McBride	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Almsmith	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	38	7	2	4	0	0	0	0	0

*Batted for Morton in the seventh.
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Cleveland... 0 0 2 0 0 1 0 0 4
Two-base hits—Graneu, Roth, Three-base hits—Shanks, Milan, Sacrifice hits—Williams, Foster, Morgan.
Left on base—Cleveland, 5; Washington, 4.
First base on balls—Washington, 1; Cleveland, 1.
Hit by pitched ball—Morgan, 5 in 5-13 innings; 2 in 2-3 innings.
Out by Mitchell, 5; by Morton, 1. Wild pitch—Johnson.
Time of game—1 hour and 53 minutes.

RECORDS GO AT WEST POINT.

Maulsby and Britton Set New Marks in Annual Meet.

WEST POINT, N. Y., June 10.—The cadets held their annual outdoor athletic meet on the Plains yesterday. The going was very heavy, due to the incessant rain of the last three days. In spite of the fact that the races were all run off on the grass plain and under such poor conditions the time of some of the events was fast.

Two records were broken. A new academy record for the running high jump was made by Cadet Maulsby of the graduating class. Maulsby beat his own best previous record and also that of Cadet Hodgson, 15, when he cleared 45.00 and two round trip tickets for the bar at 3-10.00. The best previous performance was 5.82-5.

Cadet Britton, also of the graduating class, lowered the running broad jump record. Britton jumped 22 feet 10-1/2 inches yesterday. Cadet Hodgson, 15, held the best previous record at 21 feet 10-1/2 inches.

The class of '17 won the meet with a point total of 129-1/2, 16, and second with 115-1/2, 19 third with 91, and fourth with 42-1/2 points.

Ritchie Declines \$5,000 Offer.

MILWAUKEE, June 10.—Bill Mitchell, manager of Ritchie, former lightweight champion, has received an offer of \$5,000 and two round trip tickets for Ritchie to go to South America and fight Benny Leonard twenty rounds. Mitchell replied that he would make the trip, but not under \$10,000, the same as had been promised Charlie White.

FOHL ALMOST ADMITS DEFEAT WHEN JOHNSON STARTS GAME

Cleveland Manager Might Have Kept Nationals on Losing Streak Had One of His Best Pitchers Been Sent to Mound.

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CLEVELAND, June 10.—If Lee Fohl had not practically admitted defeat before the start of yesterday's frolic with Washington the chances are that the Nationals' losing streak would still be unbroken. As it was, the Griffins are again traversing Victory road after playing a tie game with the Athletics, losing four straight to Boston, dropping three in a row to Detroit and playing a four-teen-inning tie with Cleveland. The score was 7 to 4.

Walter Johnson was Griffith's pitching selection, and the fact that his teammates staked him to the largest number of runs they have given him in a long time, saved the day for the king pin twirler. For the Indians bumped his offerings hard. Any time a club bumps Walter for four runs they are entitled to a lot of credit. But the four counts Cleveland made yesterday availed them nothing, for the simple but very good reason that Manager Fohl figured that victory against Johnson was a gamble at best and sent Willie Mitchell to the firing line. The veteran southpaw looked the part of a No. 1 twirler for five innings, but he helped to work his own undoing in the sixth with a wild throw high over Gandil's head.

The count was 2 to 1 in Cleveland's favor when the sixth round was blown open by Morgan with a single to right. Foster sacrificed him on. Milan saw Turner was standing far back on third, and figuring that Terry would not be looking for a hunt, laid the ball down along the third base line on the first pitch. Turner was caught so flat-footed that he didn't even essay to pick it up and make the throw to first; instead, he waited for the ball to roll foul, which it did not. That proved to be the break, for then and there Mitchell seemed to crack under the strain. Rondaue drove the ball back at Mitchell with vicious intent, but he cut loose with a wild throw. Morgan, second, fanned, and Rondaue, who had been hit by a wild throw, fanned. Then Williams hit to Wamby, who made a belated throw to the plate in an effort to retire Milan. Shanks, like Williams, had two strikes on him when he connected. Howard's effort going over Speaker's head for a triple. Morton was called to Mitchell's rescue, and stopped further scoring, but only for the time being. In the seventh a gift to Almsmith, Morgan's sacrifice, Foster's pop single

and Milan's triple netted two more runs. Kieffer pitched the last two rounds.

Howard Shanks proved his sportsmanship when he struck out in the fourth inning. He never offered at the third strike, but when he saw that the ball curved right over the heart of the plate he tossed his bat away and made for left field. That was in striking contrast with Thursday, when he kicked so lustily on a called second strike that "Chill" chased him out of the game.

Boss Fohl practically gave up the ship after the Nationals scored those four runs. He stuck Morton in merely to give him a little warming up, as Guy has been "off his fodder" for several days, and Lee wanted to see how he would act Fohl intended to work Guy only until the close of the seventh inning.

Ed Kieffer looked like a million dollars in the two innings he was on the firing line, and the chances are if Fohl had it to do over again he would send Kieffer instead of Mitchell against Johnson.

The Nationals won the series, all right, said series consisting of but one game to a decision instead of four as scheduled. The only other set-to between the two teams resulted in a fourteen-inning tie.

The Nationals got away for Chicago last night at 8:15 o'clock, instead of the accustomed midnight departing hour. That meant a longer session on the railers than usual. Griffith planned to use either Boelling or Dumont in the opener against the White Sox.

Foster saved Johnson's bacon in the third inning, when, after the Indians had scored two runs and Speaker was on second, Gandil hammered a justly wizzler along third. Foster dashed over behind the bag, cut down the prospective double and converted it into an out by grabbing the ball with his bare hand and putting it on Speaker racing into the bag from second. Eddie could never have thrown Gandil out at first. Waiter showed some nice pitching in the first inning, after Turner had singled with one down. Speaker had walked and both runners advanced on a wild pitch, by striking out Smith and forcing Gandil to roll to McBride.

Morton equalled Walter's pitching of the first round in the sixth, when he was sent in for Mitchell. With Shanks on third he forced Johnson to foul to Turner, while Wamby threw out McBride. Gandil, gathering in a wide throw with his gloved hand.

GAME BETWEEN HIGH SCHOOLS THIS MORNING IS POSTPONED

Eastern-Business Contest Not Played Because of Wet Diamond—Teams Meet This Afternoon.

BY H. C. BYRD.

The base ball game scheduled at American League Park this morning between Eastern High and Business High was called off because of wet grounds. The decision was reached to play the contest this afternoon, beginning at 1 o'clock, if possible.

The schedule, as decided upon rather hastily this morning at an impromptu meeting, called for Eastern to start its game with Business at American League Park at 1 o'clock and Western to begin play with Central at the same place at 3:30 o'clock. The ground early this morning was somewhat wet, but was drying out rapidly.

The decision of Scott Cusaden not to return to Gallaudet next fall undoubtedly means that the Kendall Green foot ball team will not be a factor in the game next year. Cusaden, who was graduated last year, lost his entire backfield and two or three good line-men, but it was thought that Cusaden and Marshall would be left as a nucleus around which to build another team. Cusaden was given a place on the all-South Atlantic team, but it was thought that Cusaden's loss to Gallaudet will leave a gap not easily filled. He was captain of next year's team. The chances are that Marshall will be elected to succeed him.

The Machinists, with Phil Buscher on the mound, had an easy time winning from Congress Heights, in the Potomac League, yesterday, the score being 5 to 0. The game was called at the end of the fifth inning, and in the five periods Buscher allowed one hit and fanned nine. Beard and Roundtree of the Machinists connected for extra-base hits, the former driving out a homer and the latter a triple.

Gallaudet loses one athlete this spring who has proved without a particle of doubt of greater worth to his school than any other individual in the south—Rockwell. In base ball, football and basketball Rockwell has been a star, his work in each sport having featured the plays of Gallaudet's team. Rockwell has played quarterback, half-back and end in foot ball, forward and guard in basketball and has held down the shortstop's position in base ball for several years. Rockwell is one of the most capable college individuals in the south, and probably could make good in some minor league if he cared to play professional ball.

Mike Cantwell, who did some pitching for Georgetown during the season last year, will again do duty for the Cambridge team, down on the eastern shore of Maryland. Cantwell has been a star pitcher for Georgetown, and won seven. The game he lost last year was the only one he lost. The season will begin down there in about two weeks.

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STANDINGS, SCHEDULES AND RESULTS IN BIG BASE BALL LEAGUES

AMERICAN LEAGUE.					
	W.	L.	Pct.	Win.	Loss.
Cleveland.	27	19	.587	596	.574
Nationals.	25	19	.568	578	.556
New York.	24	19	.558	568	.545
Boston....	23	22	.511	522	.500
Detroit....	23	23	.500	511	.488
Chicago....	19	23	.452	465	.442
St. Louis..	20	25	.444	457	.435
Athletics..	15	26	.365	381	.357

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

	W.	L.	Pct.	Win.	Loss.
Brooklyn.	24	15	.616	625	.600
New York.	22	18	.550	561	.536
Phila'phia	23	19	.548	558	.535
Chicago.	22	24	.478	489	.468
Boston....	20	22	.476	488	.465
Cincinnati	22	25	.468	479	.458
Pitts'burgh.	20	23	.465	477	.455
St. Louis..	20	27	.426	438	.417

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.
Washington, 7; Cleveland, 4.
Detroit, 6; Boston, 5.
St. Louis, 3; New York, 2.
(Thirteen innings.)
Chicago-Philadelphia—Rain.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.
(All games postponed—Bad weather.)

SCHEDULES.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.
TODAY: Wash'n at Chicago. Wash'n at Chicago.
PHILA. at Cleveland. Phila. at Cleveland.
NEW YORK at Detroit. NEW YORK at Detroit.
BOSTON at St. Louis. BOSTON at St. Louis.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.
TODAY: Pittsburgh at Phila. No games.
Cincinnati at Boston.
St. Louis at Brooklyn.
Chicago at New York.

MINOR LEAGUE RESULTS.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.
St. Paul-Minneapolis—Rain.
No other games scheduled.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE.
Newark, 3; Richmond, 1.
All other games postponed; bad weather.

VIRGINIA LEAGUE.
Portsmouth, 2; Norfolk, 0.
Hempstead, 5; Petersburg, 2.
Newport News, 2; Rocky Mount, 0.

NORTH CAROLINA LEAGUE.
Winston-Salem, 3; Greensboro, 2.
Charlotte, 11; Durham, 2.
Asheville, 1; Raleigh, 0 (eleven innings).

SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION.
Little Rock, 5; Mobile, 3.
Atlanta, 3; Chattanooga, 4.
Memphis, 6; New Orleans, 1.
Nashville, 6; Birmingham, 1.

TEXAS LEAGUE.
Dallas, 4; Houston, 1.
Fort Worth, 5; Galveston, 1.
Shreveport, 8; San Antonio, 7.
Waco, 5; Beaumont, 2.

TO PLAY FOR MIDDLE ATLANTIC GOLF TITLE

Local Clubs to Have Representatives in Big Tourney at Baltimore Next Week.

The annual championship of the Middle Atlantic Golf Association will be held over the first corner of the Baltimore Country Club of Roland Park, Maryland, June 15, 16 and 17. A large number of Washington golfers already have signified their intention of taking part in this notable event. The championship is in the hands of a local man, having been won last year by John C. Davidson of the Columbia Country Club, who defeated another Washington player and the present champion, to the District, Mr. B. Enyon, Jr., in the finals, 5 and 4.

The members of the Middle Atlantic Golf Association follow: Baltimore Country Club, Chevy Chase Club, Bannockburn Golf Club, Columbia Country Club, Country Club of Virginia, the Elkridge Hunt Club of Baltimore, Hagerstown Golf and Country Club of New York, Va., Hermitage Golf Club of Richmond, Va., Maryland Country Club of Baltimore, Norfolk Country Club, Washington Golf and Country Club and the Wilmington Country Club of Wilmington, Del. The championship last year was played over the course of the last-named organization.

Teams to Compete.
A team competition is held in conjunction with the individual championship. In which five-man teams compete. The team matches were held over the course of the Columbia Country Club last year, and the home team was returned the winner, defeating the Chevy Chase Club by a score of 18 to 17.

The winner of the championship will have his name engraved on the championship trophy and also will receive a prize. Prizes will be awarded for the low score in the qualifying round; for the runner-up for the championship; for low gross, first and second low net in the handicap, and for the best team score, also for the winners and runners-up in the subsidiary sixteens and for the winners and runners-up in the consolation flights.

Three-Day Program.
The program for the three days of play follows:
June 15, 8 a.m.—Qualifying round, at thirty-six holes, medal play; best sixteen scores to qualify for the championship; second sixteen to qualify for play-off; third sixteen to qualify for play-off; additional sixteens as entrants in the consolation play-off; best qualifying round, team trophy.

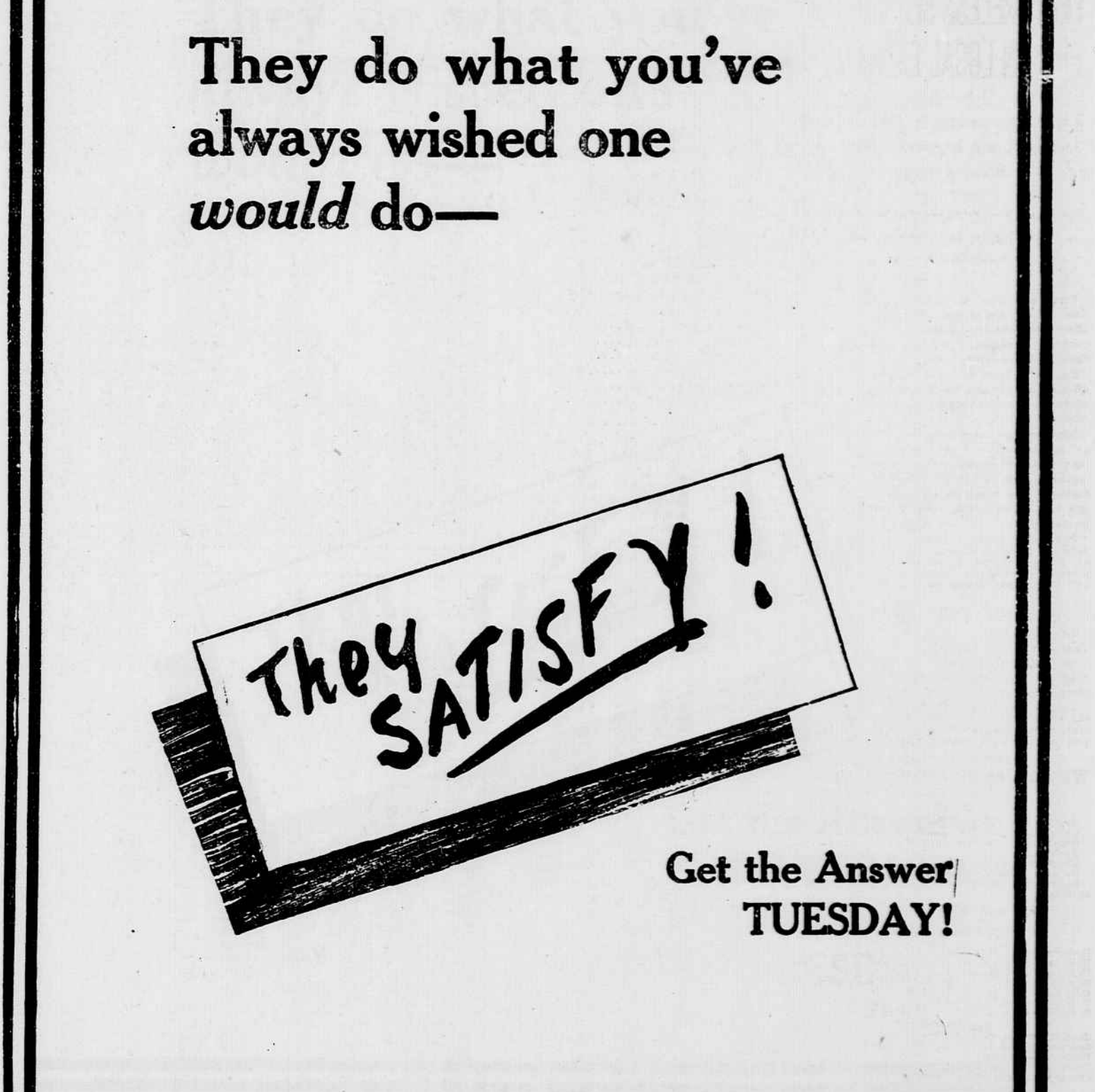
June 16, 9 a.m.—First round for championship, club players' and added sixteens cups, eighteen holes.
June 16, 2 p.m.—Second round for championship, club players' added sixteens and first round for consolation cups.

June 17, 9:30 a.m.—Semi-finals for championship, club players' and added sixteens cups and second round for consolation cups.
June 17, 2 p.m.—Finals for championship, club players' and added sixteens and consolation cups; all-day competition for handicap prizes at eighteen holes; medal play.

Players competing at match play on Saturday, June 17, are not qualified to enter in the handicap event on that day.

Entries must be made through secretary or other authorized officer of the players' club with the secretary of the association, F. J. D. Mackay, F. O. box 103.

They do what you've always wished one would do—



Get the Answer TUESDAY!

MIDDLE ATLANTIC TENNIS TITLE WON BY CONNIE DOYLE

Defeats Henry C. Breck in Finals, Playing Four-Set Match on Soft Courts at Columbia Country Club.

HERRESHOFF VS. KIRKBY

Two Former Champions Win Way Into Final of New York Golf Classic.

NEW YORK, June 10.—Fred Herreshoff of Garden City, former metropolitan amateur champion and twice runner-up for the national title, will encounter the rising tide of youngsters against the rising tide of youngsters in the final round of the New York Golf Classic.

Kirkby chose a much harder road into the final round, or rather the hand that determined the draw performed this service for him. He was first countered by Reggie Lewis of Wyckoff, the new Westchester champion and a recent winner of the Wyckoff, Carter and Nelson Whitney, but Kirkby turned him back, unexpectedly easy winner, defeating the Chateaufort by a score of 18 to 17.

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BEATS HENRY C. BRECK FOR MIDDLE ATLANTIC TENNIS TITLE.

On courts so soft that the players' feet could slip off the surface of the ground when they turned on their service, Connad B. Doyle yesterday won the singles championship of the Middle Atlantic Tennis Association by defeating his clubmate and doubles partner, Henry C. Breck, late of California, in a fast and well played match, which went four sets, thereby settling a much-discussed question, that of the superiority of these two players. When Breck first made his appearance on local courts he was heralded as the man who at last had a good chance to wrest premier honors from the man who has reigned as king of the local players for the past ten years, and it is claimed that in practice the auburn-haired Californian has beaten Doyle, but in the supreme test the more experienced player proved that paper form does not demonstrate anything beyond forming shaky opinions.

Breck was there at all times trying to keep Doyle's strokes of great impetuosity Doyle, but the latter easily kept on chopping and working his opponent so hard that Breck was forced to get a racket on the ball.

The third set found both players going at a top speed, and with the relinquishing of the place which usually characterizes his delivery his game fell below its normal standard. But Breck did not win the set only through Doyle's faults, for his game became faster and frequently the champion was shown to be a heavy hitter against him, as the margin of victory was so small that these mistakes cost him more than the immediate point. Doyle was extremely accurate, his fast chops hitting the back line constantly and keeping his opponent from the net with his speed. The match was postponed from last Saturday, when Doyle led on his service at 15-20 and 5-2 in games.

Point Recapitulation.
FIRST SET:
Doyle... 4 4 4 0 2 4 8-30-6
Breck... 2 2 2 0 4 1 6-20-2

SECOND SET:
Doyle... 4 6 5 5 0 1 0 4 4 4-30-4
Breck... 2 4 7 3 4 4 4 1 1 2-32-4

THIRD SET:
Doyle... 2 8 0 6 4 5 2 3-30-2
Breck... 4 1 2 2 8 3 4 5-40-6

FOURTH SET:
Doyle... 2 0 5 4 4 4 1 4 4-25-6
Breck... 4 4 3 2 2 0 4 0 2-21-3

Consolation Finals.
E. O. Leech won his way to the final in the men's consolation singles and will play Norris McLean, who yesterday won from Harold Seiden by default and later defeated H. E. Colton.

MISS WHITE AGAIN STARS.

Defeats Mrs. Hall and Next Match Will Be With Miss Sears.

PHILADELPHIA, June 10.—Miss Suzanne White of Baltimore, who is creating a sensation by her playing in the women's national tennis championships here, added another victory to her credit yesterday by defeating Mrs. John R. Hall of New York in three hard sets, 4-6, 6-3, 6-4.

My the victory Miss White will meet Miss Eleanor Sears of Boston in one of the semi-finals. Miss White is now regarded as a dark horse by the tennis experts.

Miss White also helped secure a win in the third round of the championship doubles. Paired with Miss Dorothy Diaton of this city, she succeeded in defeating Miss Ina Kiesel and Mrs. Dawson Wood, New York, in three sets, 4-6, 6-3, 6-4.

PHILADELPHIA WOMAN GOLFERS WIN EASILY

Led by Mrs. Barlow, They Take 13 of 15 Matches in Singles From Bostonese.

MANCHESTER, Mass., June 10.—The woman golfers from Philadelphia, who were beaten by the New York team Thursday in their match for the Griswold cup at the Essex Country Club, took revenge on Boston yesterday. The Philadelphians won thirteen out of